ATSDR Federal Quarterly Report

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SPRINGVALLEY CHEMICAL MUNITIONS

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ACTIVITY: SAP --- Interim Recommendations

SCHEDULED START: Jul-01-2005

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ACTUAL COMPLETION: Sep-30-2005

Spring Valley

HPCIB staff received agency clearance for the Spring Valley arsenic fact sheet in July 2005. The fact sheet was mailed to 1,800 Spring Valley residents in August through the Nobis Mailing Center.

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JACKSON PARK HOUSING COMPLEX (USNAVY)

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HPCIB staff have continued discussions with Mike Hardiman regarding the focus groups and work with the RAB that we wanted to complete this year. We agreed staff that the Town Hall meetings which are planned for the community would be the best time and venue to announce the focus groups and encourage participation. Unfortunately, these meeting have been postponed several times this year. The proposed date for the meetings in now some time in November.

Staff began plans to include an evaluation of the RAB as part of our work at Jackson Park. Staff from the base were supportive of this idea and are working to get information to us such as meeting notes and other documents. The RAB has not met for quite some time and currently consists of 2 members. (The chair, Field Ryan and John Carlson) Mr. Ryan, who has been with the group since the 90's, recently suffered a stroke and has not fully recovered. He is willing to talk with us about the history of the group and community participation. Mr. Carlson has agreed to speak with us about the group.

Our plan at this point is:

- 1) To speak with Mr. Ryan and Mr. Carlson via phone.
- 2) Gather additional information from him about other members and community members who may provide information about the group and community participation. This information may be used to draw some very preliminary conclusions and to guide future efforts related to an evaluation of the RABs.
- 3) Forward a draft proposal for evaluating the RABs to DoD. We have been delayed in developing and reviewing this document since several staff have been out of the office on travel or deployments.

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Orote Landfill/Agana Power Plant, Guam

Staff submitted the health education newsletter for final clearance review. The document it is currently with ATSDR/NCEH Office of Communication for final review.

Action Step

Newsletter will be submitted for layout and distribution upon completion of the clearance review.

NAVY SUPPLEMENTAL

ISLA DE VIEQUES BOMBING RANGE

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Vieques

This years Environmental Youth Camp was a success. Well over one hundred children from the island participated in the summer camp. This year's theme was "protect the Coral Reefs". The children attended educational sessions on coral reefs as well as field trips to learn about the coral reefs.

The Youth Photo Project was completed. The winning photos were designed into mouse pads, and note cards and note pads. These will be sent to the camp and the Vieques Conservation and Historical Trust.

Materials and supplies such as posters and environmental health books (in Spanish) were sent to Veiques to assist the Vieques Conservation and Historical Trust to maintain its daily activities. VHCT is the only environmental resource center on the island